

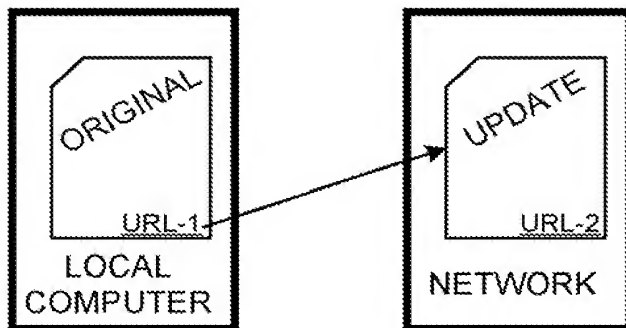
REMARKS

[01] Indefiniteness

[02] Claims 2, 4, 7 and 9 have been amended to overcome the indefiniteness rejections.

[03] Anticipation

[04] Claims 1-10 are rejection for anticipation by each of 1) U.S. Patent Publication No. 2003/0050927 to Hussam, "Hussam" herein; and 2) U.S. Patent Publication No. 2002/0015042 to Robotham et al., "Robotham" herein. These rejections are traversed as neither cited reference discloses an original version of a document that specifies a network location of a more-recent version of the document.



[0088] The intrinsic metadata are static elements, and never change unless the author specifically modifies the document. Correspondingly, automatically generated extrinsic metadata is dynamic, and changes as the document is used and updated locally by a user. Manually determined extrinsic metadata contains a mixture of both static and dynamic types.

The figure above depicts an original version of a document on a local computer, and an updated version of the document on a network. The

original version specifies a URL-1 that points to the network location of the updated version. All claims require an original version that specifies a network location for an updated version.

Hussam does not disclose an original version that specifies a network location of an updated version. The Office Action refers to Hussam paragraphs 37-40, 85, 88, 97, and 408 as disclosures of this limitation. For example, examine paragraph 88:

[05] Clearly, this has nothing to do with an original version of a document specifying a location for an updated version of the document.

[06] Likewise for paragraphs 174, 248, 251, and 286 identified by the Office Action as disclose the limitation. Take for example, Robotham paragraph 174

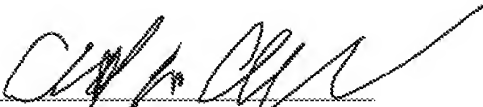
[0174] A visual content element **10** may be composed of one or more constituent component(s) **12**. Different constituent components **12** can be rendered by different specialized rendering functions. The overall rendering function **48** can coordinate specialized rendering function(s) to create intermediate representations that are used to generate the overall rendered representation.

[07] Again, the limitation is not disclosed at all. If the Examiner persists in maintaining that either of these references discloses an original version that points to an updated version, that he also spell out his interpretation of the relevant passages with greater specificity. Otherwise, Applicant respectfully requests that the Examiner withdraw the rejections for anticipation.

[08] CONCLUSION

[09] The rejections for indefiniteness have been overcome by amendment. The rejections for anticipation are traversed. Accordingly, it is respectfully submitted that all claims are allowable and allowance of the application in its present form is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted



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